

# School Supplies for Gibson Middle School

Over a period of several months the missions committee has been praying about and discussing the establishment of a partnership between our church and Gibson Middle School. Most of the 12-14 year olds who live in the area around our church attend this school, and the majority of students at Gibson come from the lower economic population in our city. Also, two members of FBC teach at Gibson---Judy Cox and Jessica Hearne.

A meeting with Robin Owens, the principal at Gibson, resulted in great enthusiasm for this project. She suggested many ideas for us to consider throughout the coming school year---ideas which will make a difference in the lives of the students, faculty, and staff. The missions committee will be bringing specific information to you about these. Some will involve nothing more than baking some cupcakes, others will ask for an hour or two being at the school, and still others might ask financial assistance from a class or small group in the church. In all cases, however, we will be “sharing the love and life of Christ” with some of those who need it most in our community.

To begin our partnership activities we will be collecting school supplies during the month of July. Because Gibson is a year-round school, the children will return for classes the first of August.

*Below is a list of the items they will need. Please bring your donations to the church and place them in the boxes located by the office and in the foyer.*

**Pencils**

**Erasers**

**Pencil sharpener**

**Blue/black ink pens**

**Colored pencils**

**Highlighters**

**Loose-leaf paper**

**3x5 index cards**

**5x7 index cards**

**Note card box**

**Drawing paper**

**Kleenex**

**Package of dividers w/pockets**

**Pencil pouch w/holes**

**Re-closeable sandwich bags**

**Pocket-sized dictionary**

**Calculator with square root button**

**1 1/2- or 2-inch binders**

**Pocket folder with prongs**

**One-subject spiral composition notebook - college ruled**

**Five-subject spiral composition notebook - college ruled**

**Black and white marbled composition book - college ruled**

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